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Recent Crime Summary

August 20, 2021

****Note: additional incidents may have occurred, and the reports have not yet been received**
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Thefts From Vehicles Summary: 08/08/21 to 08/14/21

MCP urges all residents to take a role in preventing this type of crime by removing valuables from vehicles and locking all doors.

1st District

A2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 12200 block of Braxfield Court between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 08/07 and 1:30 p.m. on 08/08. Force; a vehicle part was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

B1 Beat:

- Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/07 and 08/14. Affected streets included Sleepy Hollow Lane, Seven Locks Road, Barrowgate Court and Stable House Court. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

B2 Beat:

- Three **attempted thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/07 and 08/12. Affected streets included Eldwick Way, Fox Hollow Drive and Scotch Broom Court.

No suspect(s) information available

2nd District

D1 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/11 and 08/13. One theft occurred in the 1900 block of Rosemary Hills Drive and one theft occurred in the 3500 block of Woodbine Street. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

D2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 4700 block of Cheltenham Drive between approximately 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on 08/10. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

D3 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/09 and 08/11. Affected streets included the 9700 block of Parkwood Drive and the 3200-3400 blocks of University Boulevard West. No force; money and property were taken.

Description of suspect seen at one of the University Boulevard West thefts:

Victim/Witness described suspect as: W/M, age unknown

E1 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/04 and 08/13. One theft occurred in the 5300 block of Woodlawn Avenue and one theft occurred in the 4500 block of Willard Avenue. Force was reported in one event; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

E3 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 11900 block of Bargate Court between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 08/06 and 12:00 p.m. on 08/09. Force; a vehicle part was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

E4 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/06 and 08/12. Affected streets included Tobin Circle, Sorrel Avenue, Kentsdale Drive, Pegasus Court and Oaklyn Drive. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

3rd District

G1 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/09 and 08/11. One theft occurred in the 8500 block of 2nd Avenue and one theft occurred in the 8000 block of Blair Mill Way. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

H1 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/10 and 08/13. One theft occurred in the 8700 block of Plymouth Street and 8700 block of Barron Street. Force; property and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

H2 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/11 and 08/13. One theft occurred in the 800 block of Northwest Drive and one theft occurred in the 10200 block of Ridgemoor Drive. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I1 Beat:

- Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/06 and 08/12. Affected streets included Columbia Pike, Old Columbia Pike and Featherwood Street. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I2 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/11 and 08/13. Affected streets included Dunes Way, Monmouth Drive and Berleigh Hill Court. Force was reported in one event; money and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

4th District

J1 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 11:00 a.m. on 08/11 and 8:00 a.m. on 08/12. Affected streets included Carona Drive, Soapstone Lane and Watergate Road. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

J2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 17900 block of Dumfries Circle between approximately 10:30 a.m. on 08/10 and 7:30 a.m. on 08/11. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

K1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 12500 block of Layhill Road at approximately 12:40 p.m. on 08/09. No force; property was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

K2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 4300 block of Randolph Road between approximately 7:48 p.m. and 8:25 p.m. on 08/12. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

L2 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/08 and 08/10. Affected streets included the 10500-10600 blocks of Glenhaven Drive and the 11200 block of Valley View Avenue. Force was reported in one event; money and property were taken.

A suspect was arrested for the Valley View Avenue theft:

Arrested: Juvenile male, age 16; of Kensington

5th District

M1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 19700 block of Frederick Road between approximately 9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. on 08/11. No force; property was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

M2 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 07/31 and 08/12. Affected streets included Schoolyard Court, Sunset Drive and Ridge Manor Court. No force; money was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

M3 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 22200 block of Overview Lane in the early morning hours of 08/08. Force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

N1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 12900 block of Pickering Drive between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 08/12 and 7:30 a.m. on 08/13. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

N2 Beat:

- Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 08/08 and 08/10. Affected streets included Fairlady Way, Autumn Gold Road, Harvest Scene Court and Thundercloud Road. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

6th District

P1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 9300 block of Corporate Boulevard between approximately 8:30 p.m. on 08/11 and 12:30 p.m. on 08/12. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

P3 Beat:

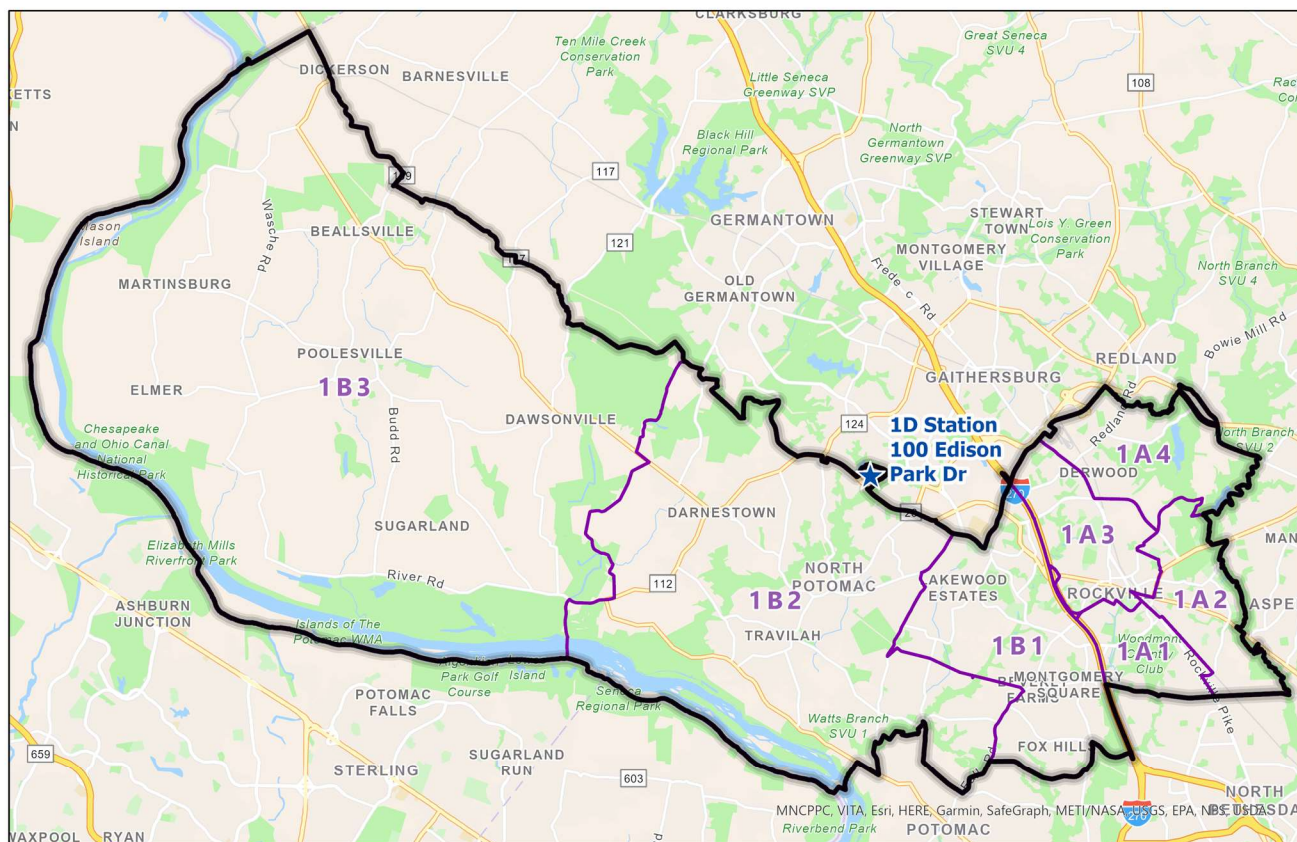
- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 8600 block of Dakota Drive between approximately 4:30 p.m. on 08/12 and 8:40 a.m. on 08/13. Force; a vehicle part was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

R1 Beat:

- An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 9300 block of Haymarket Place between approximately 2:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. on 08/10.

No suspect(s) information available



1st DISTRICT *ROCKVILLE*

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08/08/21 to 08/14/21

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Note: Thefts from vehicles listed in separate summary.

A1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A4 Beat:

- An **attempted burglary** occurred at *Educational Systems Federal Credit Union* located at 15901 Frederick Road in the early morning hours of 08/10.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, early 20s

B1 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 11000 block of Gainsborough Road in the early morning hours of 08/08. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key possibly left inside.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: Male, no further description

- In the unit block of Cherbourg Court between approximately 6:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. on 08/12. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key fob left inside.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 11700 block of Seven Locks Road in the early morning hours of 08/14. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 08/14.

No suspect(s) information available

- A **residential garage burglary, theft from vehicle** and two **vehicle thefts** occurred at the same residence in the 9200 block of Cranford Drive in the early morning hours of 08/12. No signs of forced entry, the vehicles were reported to have been left unlocked with keys inside and the garage door opener that was used to open the garage; property and two vehicles were taken. One vehicle was recovered on 08/13 and the other vehicle was recovered on 08/14.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown

B2 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 9700 block of Eldwick Way between approximately 1:00 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. on 08/08. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 08/08.

No suspect(s) information available

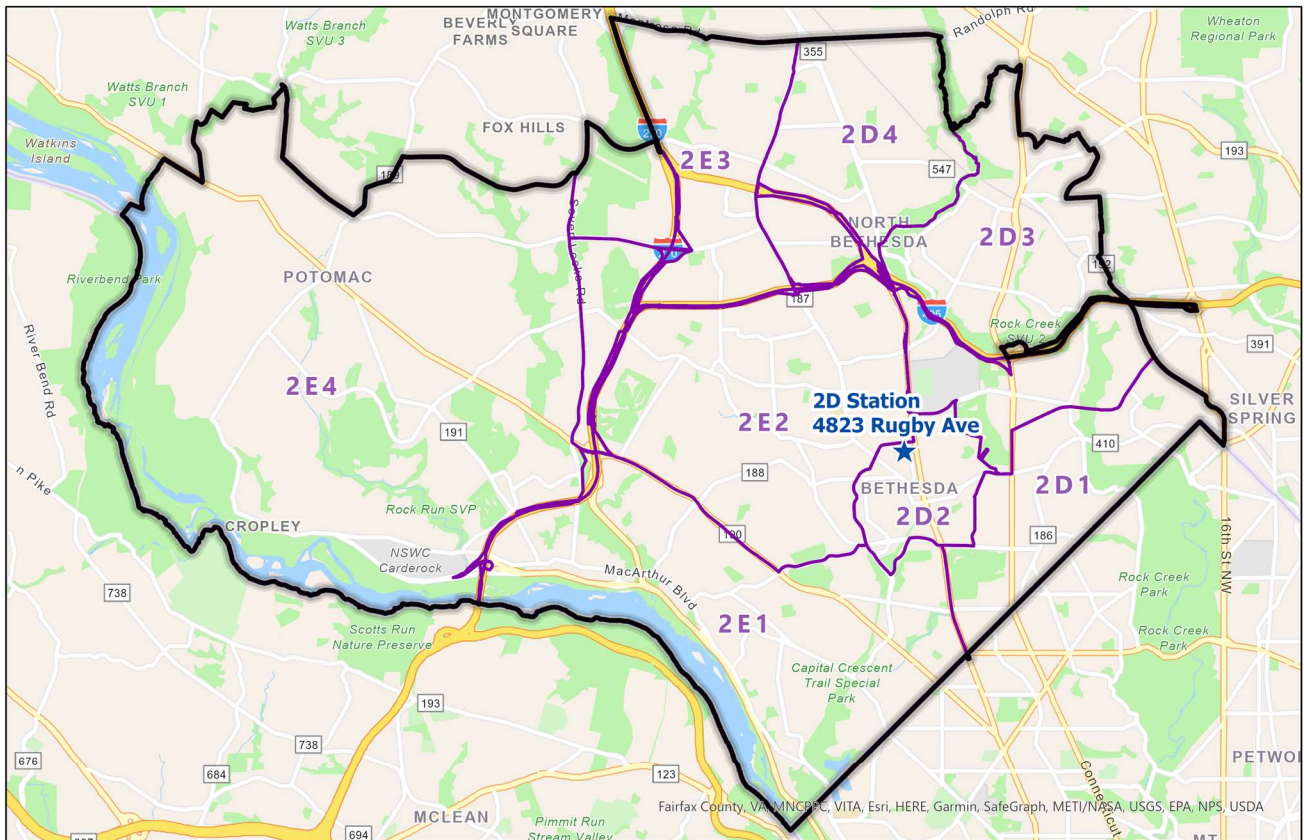
- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 13500 block of Hunting Hill Way at approximately 9:27 p.m. on 08/13. Forced entry; nothing was taken. The suspect was arrested.

Note: This same suspect also stole a vehicle from 5D in the N2 Beat.

Arrested: Wesley Samuel James, age 35; of Montgomery Village

B3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.



2nd DISTRICT *BETHESDA*

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D1 Beat:

- **Attempted vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 3500 block of East West Highway between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 08/09 and 6:00 a.m. on 08/13.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 8000 block of Kerry Lane between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 08/09 and 6:00 a.m. on 08/13.

No suspect(s) information available

- A **strong-armed robbery** occurred in the area of Grubb Road and East West Highway in the early morning hours of 08/14. The suspect assaulted the adult male victim and took his money and property.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

D2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

D3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

D4 Beat:

- **Residential burglaries** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 4700 block of Ablemarle Avenue between approximately 2:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on 08/09. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 5700 block of Luxemburg Street between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 08/11 and 12:45 a.m. on 08/12. No signs of forced entry, a window was reported to have been left unlocked; nothing was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: H/M, age unknown

E1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E2 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 4900 block of Battery Lane between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 08/08 and 9:20 a.m. on 08/12. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

E3 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** and **theft from vehicle** occurred at the same residence in the 11900 block of Tildenwood Drive between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 08/13 and 11:30 a.m. on 08/14. No force; one vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key to the other vehicle left inside.

No suspect(s) information available

E4 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the unit block of Hall Court between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 08/07 and 5:00 a.m. on 08/08. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 9400 block of Tobin Circle between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 08/07 and 7:30 a.m. on 08/08. Unknown entry, a key was reported to have been left inside the vehicle. The vehicle was recovered on 08/11.

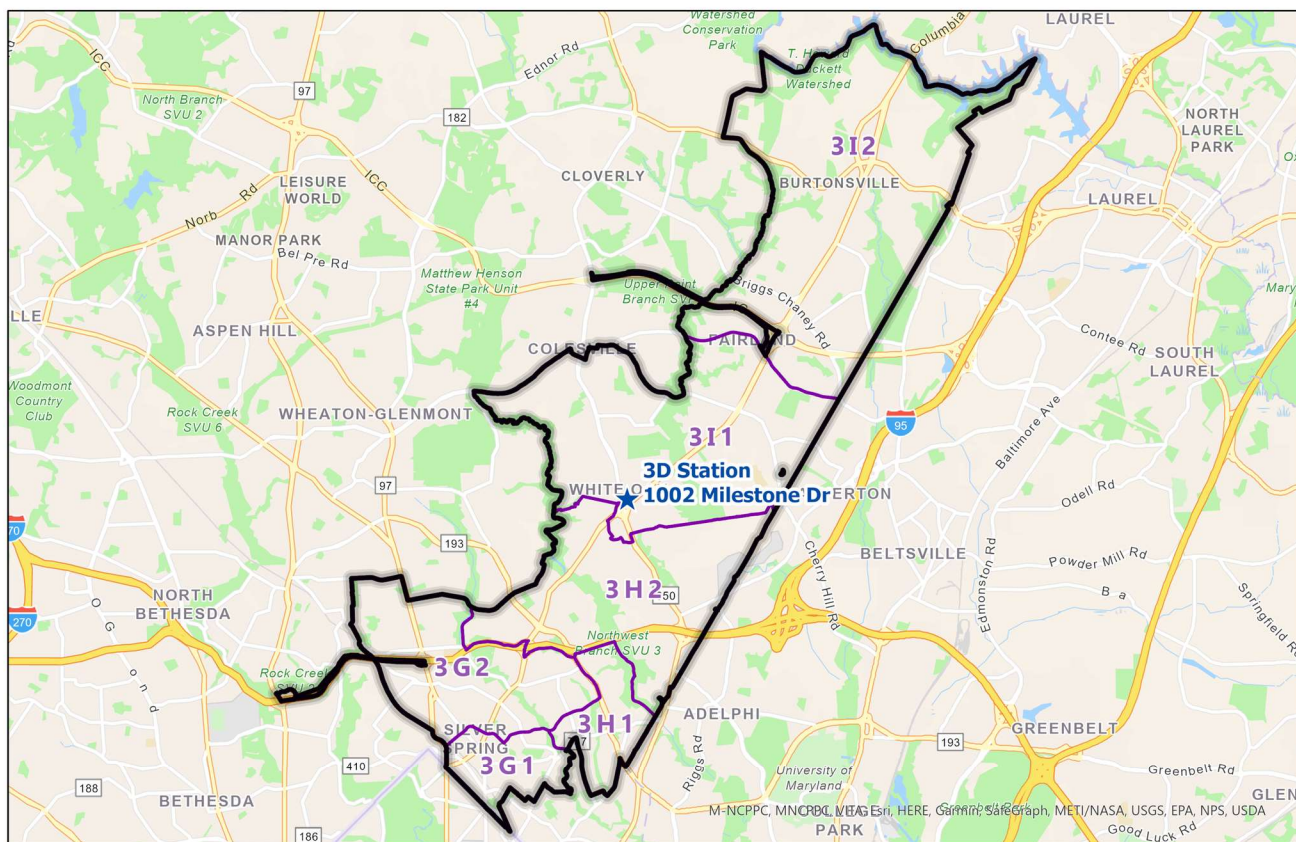
No suspect(s) information available

- In the 9900 block of Bluegrass Road between approximately 11:30 p.m. on 08/07 and 8:40 a.m. on 08/08. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 08/09.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 8600 block of Brickyard Road between approximately 5:30 p.m. on 08/11 and 5:45 a.m. on 08/12. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 08/12.

No suspect(s) information available



3rd DISTRICT SILVER SPRING

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G1 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 8600 block of Colesville Road between approximately 7:09 p.m. and 8:07 p.m. on 08/09. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running. The vehicle was recovered on 08/09.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

- In the 8000 block of 13th Street at approximately 8:06 p.m. on 08/08. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running. The vehicle was recovered on 08/16.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

G2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

H1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

H2 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 800 block of Northampton Drive between approximately 10:30 a.m. and 10:40 a.m. on 08/06. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running. The vehicle was recovered on 08/12.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 10100 block of New Hampshire Avenue between approximately 4:30 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. on 08/10. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the unit block of Woodmoor Drive between approximately 6:30 p.m. on 08/11 and 8:30 a.m. on 08/12. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 10400 block of Lorain Avenue between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 08/11 and 7:30 a.m. on 08/12. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked.

No suspect(s) information available

- An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 10100 block of New Hampshire Avenue at approximately 12:17 p.m. on 08/11. The suspect displayed a weapon. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Jose D. Lopez, age 52; of an unconfirmed address

I1 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 11200 block of Lockwood Drive between approximately 10:30 a.m. and 11:30 p.m. on 08/10. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

I2 Beat:

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 4100 block of Swiss Stone Drive at approximately 1:30 p.m. on 08/11. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

- A **residential garage burglary** occurred in the 2700 block of Cornet Court between approximately 11:00 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. on 08/12. No signs of forced entry, the garage door was reported to have been left open; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available



4th DISTRICT WHEATON

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J1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

J2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

K1 Beat:

- A **commercial burglary** occurred at construction site located at 2511 Glenallan Avenue at approximately 8:30 a.m. on 08/09. Forced entry; property was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

K2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

L1 Beat:

- An **armed robbery** occurred in the 2300 block of Blueridge Avenue in the early morning hours of 08/10. The suspects displayed weapons and took money and property from the adult male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 H/Ms, ages unknown

- A **homicide** occurred in the 2000 block of Blueridge Avenue at approximately 8:56 a.m. on 08/10. Two suspects were arrested.

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https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press_Detail_Pol.aspx?Item_ID=36905

- A **vehicle theft** and **theft from vehicle** occurred at the same residence in the 11500 block of Highview Avenue between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 08/12 and 12:30 p.m. on 08/13. No force; one vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key to the other vehicle left inside.

No suspect(s) information available

- A **motorcycle theft** occurred in the 1100 block of University Boulevard West between approximately 7:30 a.m. and 11:30 p.m. on 08/13.

No suspect(s) information available

L2 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 1700 block of Glenkarney Place between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 08/07 and 8:00 a.m. on 08/08. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 11200 block of Grandview Avenue in the early morning hours of 08/08. One suspect assaulted one of the adult male suspects. The other suspect displayed a weapon.

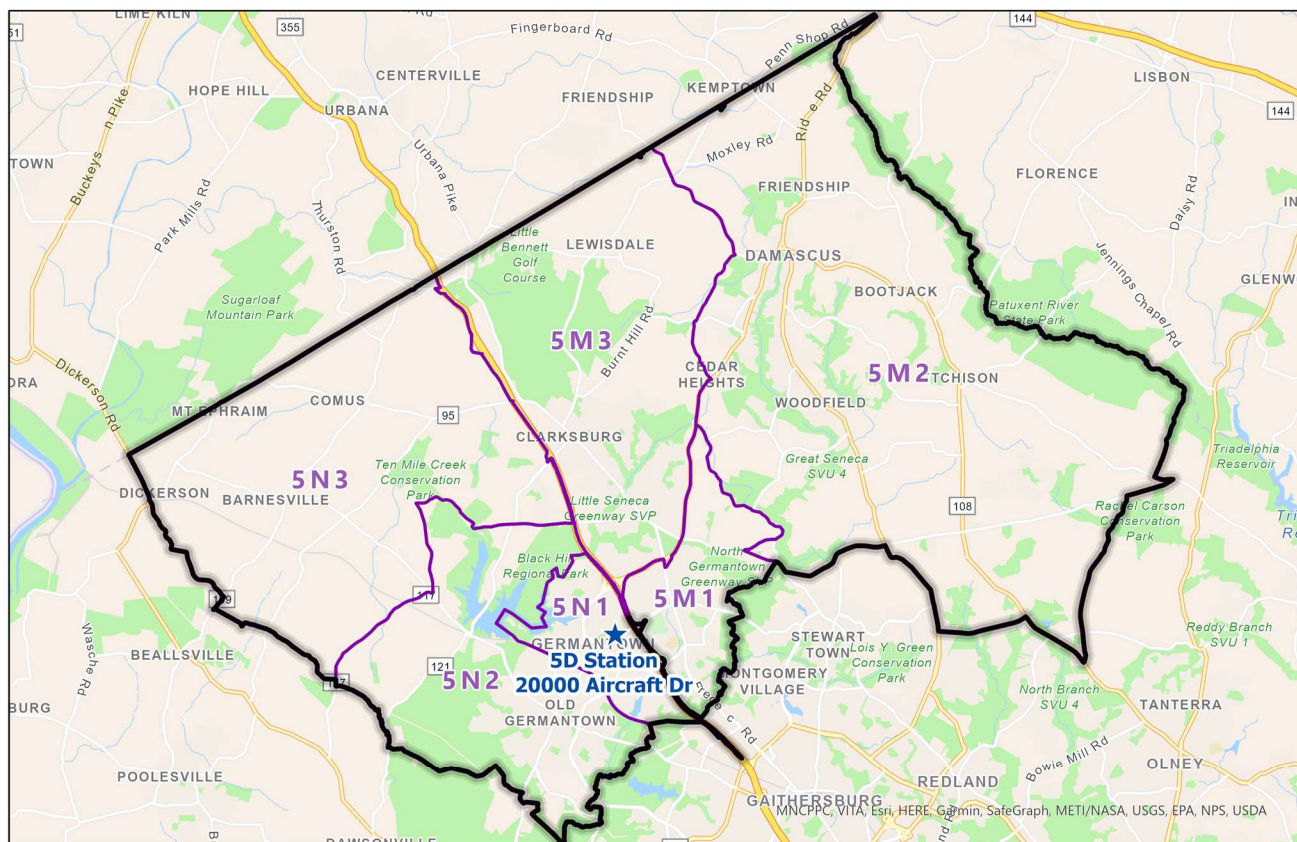
Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 H/Ms, ages unknown

- An **attempted residential burglary** occurred in the 1500 block of Hanby Street at approximately 6:40 p.m. on 08/08. The suspects were arrested.

**Arrested: Milton Gonzalez-Moreno, age 19; of Silver Spring
Luis Moreno-Echegoyen, age 19; of Silver Spring**

- A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Lee's Auto Care* located at 2204 University Boulevard West between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 08/12 and 7:30 a.m. on 08/13. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

No suspect(s) information available



5th DISTRICT GERMANTOWN

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M1 Beat:

- A **residential garage burglary** occurred in the 19100 block of Wheatfield Drive between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 08/10 and 9:00 a.m. on 08/11. No signs of forced entry, the garage door was reported to have been left open; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 11400 block of Applegarth Way between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 08/11 and 7:50 a.m. on 08/12. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 08/13.

No suspect(s) information available

M2 Beat:

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 9800 block of Bethesda Church Road between approximately 5:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. on 08/08. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

- The following crimes were committed in the 9900 block of Main Street on 08/10 by the same suspect:
 - An **attempted vehicle theft** and **theft from vehicle** occurred between approximately 2:35 p.m. and 3:40 p.m. No force, the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key left inside; the vehicle key was taken.
 - A **vehicle theft** occurred between approximately 3:00 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key left inside.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age 20-29

- An **attempted armed robbery** occurred in the 9800 block of Bethesda Church Road at approximately 7:00 a.m. on 08/12. The suspects displayed a weapon, assaulted the adult male victim and attempted to take his property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 H/Ms, ages unknown

- A **vehicle theft** and **theft from vehicle** occurred at the same residence in the 9500 block of Faith Lane between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 08/13 and 8:45 a.m. on 08/14. No force; money, property and a vehicle was taken and used to steal one vehicle. The vehicle was recovered on 08/15.

No suspect(s) information available

M3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

N1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

N2 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 14200 block of Autumn Gold Road in the early morning hours of 08/10. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

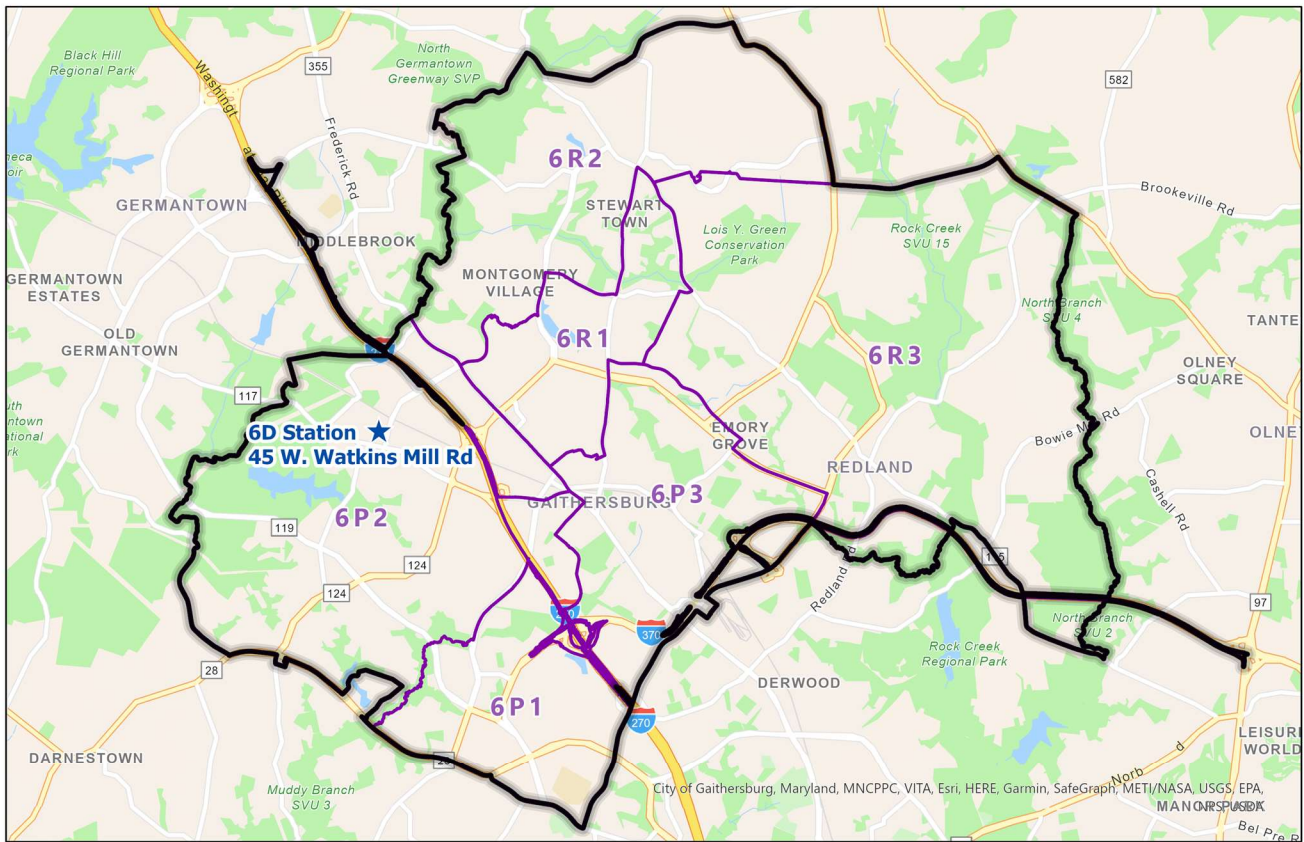
- In the 12800 block of Clopper Road at approximately 7:00 p.m. on 08/13. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 08/13.

Note: This same suspect also committed a residential burglary in 1D in the B2 Beat.

Arrested: Wesley Samuel James, age 35; of Montgomery Village

N3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.



6th DIST. *MONTGOMERY VILL.*

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P1 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 2600 block of Research Boulevard in the early morning hours of 08/12. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 08/12.

No suspect(s) information available

P2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

P3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

R1 Beat:

- A **motorcycle theft** occurred in the 9100 block of Bobwhite Circle between approximately 4:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. on 08/14.

No suspect(s) information available

R2 Beat:

- An **armed robbery** occurred in the 20200 block of Gentle Way at approximately 10:39 p.m. on 08/09. The suspect assaulted the adult male victim, displayed a weapon and took his property.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age 18-21

R3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

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